

# THE EVENING NEWS.

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BENTON HARBOR, MICH., MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1896.

ONE CENT.

A large bankrupt stock of SHOT GUNS and RIFLES of all kinds for sale at

## Jackson's Toy Store

Water street, Benton Harbor, Mich. Remember that I keep all kinds of hunting, fishing and sporting goods on hand and I will not be undersold by any dealer in Southwestern Mich. Winchester Repeating Rifles all sizes at \$10, \$11 and \$13 each. See the old and new models Quackenbush 22's and other Target Guns. One Colt's Repeating Rifle second-hand at \$7, one Winchester Single Shot Rifle, second-hand, at \$6, Spencer Repeating Shot Gun, 8 shot at \$17, and I have Double Barrel Breech Loading Shot Gun both 10 and 12 gauge at \$7, \$8, \$11 and \$12 each. Single Barrel Breech Loaders, both now and second-hand at \$5, \$6 and \$7 each. Muzzle Loading Shot Gun at the lowest prices, one Winchester Repeating Shot Gun second-hand at \$10. Loaded Paper Shells, 10, 12 and 16 gauge, a loader at 35 cents per box, pasted that in your hat. A full and complete line of Winchester rifle cartridges at winning prices; 20 different sizes of revolver cartridges; B. B. Flores & Blanks, Laffin & Rand's shot gun, rifle and blasting powder; smokeless powder for shot guns and rifles; brass shells, loaded and unloaded, buck, common shot and bar lead; reloading tools for rifles and shot guns, sheet gun fixtures; cartridge belts and shell bags; hunting coats, vests and hats; canvas game bags and belts for hunters; powder flasks and shot pouches; primers; snipe, turkey and duck calls; shot gun shells loaded with smokeless powder; bowie knives and knives for hunters; pasteboard and felt wads; water proof and G.D. gun cases; all kinds of new and second-hand revolvers; firearms at 32 center fire at \$1.50; 38 center fire at \$1.75. These guns are of the bulldog pattern, and they are all right and I am selling today the 32 and 38 center fire, both blue and nickel 5 and 6 shot, rubber handle rifle barrel, fluted cylinder, break down shell ejection, 44 inch barrel, Smith and Weston pattern for \$3 and how is that for a leader on guns? Holders for revolvers and cases for guns and rifles, dark lanterns for camp hunters and the Morehouse traps for traps, and compasses, boxing gloves, iron dumbbells. Foot balls all kinds and sizes, sling shots, billies and knuckles, dog collars, collars and muzzle.

After Nov 1st I will pay the best market price for all kinds of fur furs and remember that I loan money on all kinds of personal property and that I have

## A large grain sack full of unredeemed WATCHES of all kinds.

62 solid gold rings, Banjos, guitars and violins at one-third first cost. Trading men look over my watch stock. I can always stock you up on bargains. I have dealt in fishing, hunting and sporting goods for 19 years in Benton Harbor. I buy cheaper than any other dealer and I will not be undersold.

**CHARLES A. JACKSON**  
Dealer in Almost Everything.....



## Looking in the Glass

Not for mere vanity's sake, but to beautify her complexion. All ladies old and young, find a secret gratification when they know that all deflections of the skin are unseen. We sell the finest line of face powder, which will pay the ladies to examine.

We have in stock \$200 worth of fine Writing Paper and Envelopes, in boxes. Also a fine line of Pipes and Smokers' articles. We are selling the above goods at cost. Step in and examine my stock, it will pay you.

**DR. J. J. FABRY**  
...German Physician and Surgeon

Office and Residence:

110 Water Street, Benton Harbor.

## Repair Shop

BICYCLES  
GUNS  
Sewing Machines  
LOCKS...

Or in fact anything out of repair can be fixed by me.

**M. J. HENDERSON.**  
177 West Main St.

Ten years' experience.

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EYE, EAR,  
NOSE AND THROAT.  
GLASSES FITTED

MOURS, 8 TO 12, 2 TO 5  
SUNDAYS, 12 TO 1  
JOHNS & BONNER BLOCK  
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If you wish glasses fitted accurately, patronize a physician and not a peddler.

## DEDICATION SERMON.

Preached Last Evening for the New  
Y. M. C. A. Rooms by the  
Rev. Mr. McRoberts.

## THE WORK FOR YOUNG MEN.

Frank Welton Raised \$250 Toward  
the Support of the Associa-  
tion the Coming Year.

As a house of worship is usually dedicated so were the new rooms of the Young Men's Christian association dedicated at the union meeting at the First M. E. church last evening. The sermon, an excellent and appropriate one, was delivered by Rev. Thomas R. McRoberts of St. Joseph. Dr. F. A. Votey, the general secretary of the association, gave a report which showed what the association had done and what it proposed to do with the help of its new rooms and its new equipment. The dedication closed as all dedications do with a subscription, and this important work was intrusted to Frank Welton, who has no superior in that line of work. Mr. Welton is versatile and allowed no lag in the interest of giving even when there was a lag in the giving of subscriptions. He made a fine opening address and he painted a home scene at the coming Thanksgiving time, when after eating turkey and all the other good things the shadows of sleep should surround the good man of the house as he laid down on his couch to rest and there came a vision to him and a voice asked, "Where is thy brother?" The sleeping man replied, "Am I my brother's keeper?" The voice of the vision continued, "The voice of the young men who have no comforts and no Thanksgiving are crying to me now from the streets." Such a vision could be spared if the man had an interest in the Young Men's Christian association. Pastor French raised over \$200 at the Methodist church in the morning and at the evening service Mr. Welton secured \$250.

Dr. F. A. Votey, the general secretary, before making his report, apologized for the delay which compelled the postponement of the formal opening of the new rooms which was advertised to occur this evening. The doctor expected that the opening would occur "next week," the same time he counted upon for a month back. He expected that the whole building at that time would be thrown open for the inspection of the public.

"It is not my association," said the secretary, "but it is yours. Two years ago we started as an infant organization. The officers are not paid and all give their time gratuitously with the exception of the assistant secretary who draws a small salary. During the past year our reading room has been visited by an average of 25 daily, and this department affords the best way for reaching young men. On our table is all the leading wholsome literature and the daily and weekly papers. We have a library of 180 volumes and hope some day that this will prove the nucleus for a respectable library. It is a shame that in a city of 7,000 people that the only library open to the public is one containing 180 volumes. We have a parlor and reception room where young men may bring their friends. We have a game room where innocent games are played. There is no game put upon our table but what is perfectly safe for your boy or any boy. There has been circulated a report to the contrary for which I am sorry. If you hear such a report do not tell your neighbor about it but come to the rooms and investigate for yourself."

The gymnasium and bath rooms were described, the latter being called as fine as any to be found in the cities. Evening classes are contemplated for members only and there will be established a seminary where the leading topics of the day will be discussed. Last year the association was the instrument of twenty conversions and he believed that this part of the work could be increased.

The Woman's auxiliary came in for a good share of credit for the work done and the secretary thought that the present membership of 100 was far too small. Every mother should be and every woman who had a brother. This branch of the association is furnishing the new rooms.

Dr. S. M. White, president of the association, presided over the meeting. He announced that the business men would be canvassed for subscriptions. Dr. Brooks made the valuable suggestion of buying a membership for some young man who could not afford it himself would be an excellent way for doing good. The Y. M. C. A. quartet composed of Dr. Kincaid, Albert Sykes, Fred Null and H. U. Rapp sang several selections which added greatly to the enjoyment of the program of the evening. The gentleman on the platform who was generally supposed to be Mayor Pingree until he was called upon to offer prayer was Rev. Mr. Howells, a Presbyterian missionary.

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Sherman's bazaar is the cheapest place in either town for tin ware.

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cause we have an overweening temptation to put our trust in the infallibility of organization, and to believe implicitly in the omnipotence of machine work when the power of the world is not the machine or the method, but the men. He said that since the world began men were saved by faith, that was a method, but when the little monk came out of his cell of the monastery at Erfurt and took that phrase as a fulcrum, it aroused the world. It was the truth in the hands of a man that could use the truth. And from the beginning it was written in our constitution that all men were created free and equal but with Phillips and Garrison to put their hands upon the phrase, that phrase became a living thing. So you can have an abundance in your association rooms, books and physical apparatus but they will not do the work. They must be in the hands of men. Personal work is the power of redemptive work.

I would mean by men, men of magnificent faith, not so much in themselves, as faith in God's omnipotence; optimistic men who believe that God is not in a lost cause, but believe God is bringing our world into clearer light, to nobler standards, into a sweeter life; optimistic men who believe this, and take part in bringing it to pass; men that believe that Prometheus who is still bound in chains to the rocks shall be freed, and it's for you young men to bring the deliverer to the chain. It's yours to believe that the Laocoön still writhing in the pains of a thousand injustices and sins shall yet have the door of hope opened to him, and it's for you to point to the open door. It's yours to believe that the mark of the curse that still is borne by a Cain shall yet be effaced, and it's yours to point to the Redeemer of bodies and minds and spirits. It's yours to believe that Atlas still bearing a world of consciousness of error and sin shall yet open his heart to the presence of God who shall relieve him of his load, and it's yours to point to God. It's yours to believe that the golden age is not a past age but is the glory of a coming age when righteousness and mercy shall reign supreme. It's yours to believe these things, and your belief will be the strength by which you shall have a part in hastening that day.

Mr. McRoberts spoke of method and said the best method of quickening manhood and touching what was best in life was the eye to eye, and mouth to mouth method. The quickening spirit must brood over the germ that is to be wakened into newness of life. The means Mr. McRoberts said was love and sympathy. He compared Pompey's triumphal entrance into the city with his train of captives and golden trophies of war with Christ's walk over the cobble stones on his way to the place of crucifixion and said it is the seer of love that was in Christ's heart that has and is still ruling the world. He said it was man's sympathy for man that hallowed and spiritualized our social life. He contrasted the church that had no sympathy with the doctrine of Roseau of man's love for man and said it showed what sympathy could do since the priest and church were swept away. He spoke of the spiritual priesthood of the business man and professional man and showed how the work of redemption would be hastened if every man were considered the channel through which God revealed himself to others.

**ARE HUSTLING.**

The Order of Patricians Are Organizing Five New Courts.

This new order organized its first court October 7, 1896. It now has a membership of seven-hundred with an insurance of \$80,000 in Benton Court No. 1 and rapidly growing. One thousand is the mark for January 1, 1896. Tuesday night Court No. 2 at Coloma will be organized with 60 members. Wednesday night Court No. 3 will be organized at Watervliet with about 40 members. George H. Murdoch Jr. is organizing a court at Eau Claire, W. H. Kennedy and Louis N. Kennedy are organizing a court at Buchanan, Nelson G. Kennedy, Frank L. Hamm, Maylow D. Osgood and John G. Trimble start for Niles today to organize a court. R. J. Jarvis and F. M. Van Horn go to Hartford today to organize a court.

The unprecedented success of the Order of Patricians is the push and energy of its promoters, allowing the mothers, wives, daughters and sweethearts belonging to and associating with fathers, brothers, sons and lovers the equitable and attractive contract they write.

## FAIR PLAIN.

FAIR PLAIN, Nov. 16.—There will be a meeting at the school hall for the purpose of reorganizing the literary society, Saturday evening, November 28. Hugh Honeywell, president.

Ed Clyburn has accepted a position in a wheel factory in Chicago. He will move there and be ready for work the first of December.

Mrs. Kelly and family expect to start on their California trip next Tuesday.

Mrs. McCumber and her daughter Mabel have returned from Chicago where they have been visiting for a month.

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month, 50 cents.  
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second class matter.

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THE Kalamazoo Telegraph says that Bryan carried Nebraska by a little over 11,000. The Telegraph calls 11,799 a "little over eleven thousand."

Now that all is over Senator Hill's friends are proving that he voted for Bryan. In the senator's precinct but one Palmer and Buckner voted was east and a wealthy and reputable citizen claims that he cast that vote. Senator Hill voted and declares that he did not vote for McKinley.

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WHATEVER the verdict of the jury the common council should regulate by law the speed at which street cars are run in the dark. Twenty or twenty-five miles an hour is not too fast for safety on a straight and clear track in the suburbs in daylight but any speed is too fast in the dark which does not make it possible to stop after the headlight shows an obstruction on the track. It is stated that the motormen are not ordered to put on the brakes and shut off the current when they see an obstruction in the shape of a person on the track. Their duty should be proscribed to be something more than the thumping of the gong.

Plaiting.

Very narrow plaiting is a favorite dress trimming. A costume of gray camel's hair is made up in a plain princess fashion. The waist closes at one side, and the skirt, waist and sleeves are, as one enthusiastic young woman expressed it, absolutely smothered in pinked out ruffles of iridescent taffeta. In addition to the plaiting these ruffles are plaited, then drawn out a little to make fans, which are laid so as to form bands of trimming from shoulders to waist line, as outlines for yokes and to supply the place of the almost collapsed sleeves. One dress has an outlined yoke of very narrow pinked and plaited ruffling. From the seams where the sleeves are sewed in are similar ruffles of varying widths, the lower one being about 14 inches wide and the upper one not over 5 inches wide.—New York Ledger.

To restore gray hair to its natural color as in youth; use it to grow abundant and strong, there is no better preparation than Hall's Hair Renover.

Pure Californian wines 25 cents per quart bottle at Hall & Nichols.

What is sweeter than life? Ans. A box of Bird's candy. Bird always keeps the best.

**The Phoenix Hotel.**

A great many people go there simply for the reason that they employ nothing but experienced women cooks, and what you eat is clean and reliable. The best of meats, fresh from the market, three times daily. Pastry can't be excelled anywhere in the city. Rates for the winter, 25c per meal or 21 meals for \$3.25, while in the lunch room you can procure anything you like in the way of short orders. Oysters a specialty.

"Now good digestion wait on appetite and health on both." Use Washburn's Gold Medal flour—all good grocers sell it.

For a lodger in some vast wilderness where I can be alone with a box of Bird's fine candies, Bird always sells the best.

**Robes**

Must be sold and are going cheap.

**Blankets**

Largest assortment ever offered here and at lowest prices

**Repairing**  
done promptly.

**R. J. BAUSHKE,**  
110 Main Street.

Edward W. Kelly, "the Rolling Mill Man," Made the Hit of His Life.  
A theatrical manager tells this story regarding the late J. W. Kelly:  
In his earlier days Kelly was appearing at a variety hall in San Francisco. The proprietor and manager of the place was a German, who had a great admiration for the "rolling mill man." While Kelly was appearing at the theater the German arranged to put on the stage a series of tableaux depicting the heroism of the members of the San Francisco fire department. Kelly was to stand at one side of the stage and recite some original verse describing each picture or tableau as it was shown on the stage. The German was wildly anxious that this tribute to the firemen should make a hit on the opening night. "Oh, man," he said, "do your poet, and you will make a hit of your life!"

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With the manager rushed for the stage and arranged that a soubrette should announce the tableaux. Then he went out in front and waited, all in a tremble, to see if she could get through with it. In the meantime Kelly went around on the stage, and just as the soubrette walked on the stage Kelly followed her and said, "I'll take care of the self satisfied response.

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"Two dollar an sixty cents," was the self satisfied response.

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## "Rome Was Not Built in a Day"

Neither was our present business, but months of hard persistent hammering, and a desire to please at any cost has accomplished much.

The best advertisement we have is the continued growth of our business, and our introduction of new things in the market.

For this week we desire to call the ladies' attention to a new style of corset

### The Cresco..

Which cannot break at the waist line.

We desire that all the ladies call and examine this, the latest, in corsets.

Also remember we are sole agents for the following makes of Corsets and Corset Waists.

**Cresco, W. C. C., R. & G.,  
Flexibone Moulded and the  
Ferris and Imperial Corset  
Waists.**

### JAMES POUND...

### Notice.

THE producers of Anthracite Coal seem to have adopted the theory that their product is something you must have and placed a claim to it. We are now advertising our stock of Anthracite from the Wilkesbarre region, the best in the market and solicit your orders at current prices. No chromes are given away with this coal, neither do we make any extra charge for the coal. We will offer it on a business basis. If as the big men in the business assume, hard coal is something you must have regardless of price, we are ready and even anxious to supply you. As the amusement man in the circus would say, "We are here for that purpose."

### BENTON FUEL CO.,

Office: Graham & Morton Bldg., Water Street.

## No Use Talking You Have Got to Eat

And we know that clean, fresh table delicacies are better than common truck for your stomach.

Come to Us-- Leaders in Fine Groceries...

Deliver to all parts of the city at all hours.

Corner Pipestone and Britain Avenue...

**Michael & Beeny**

## You Must Keep Warm..

Heating Stoves in all shapes and sizes were never so cheap as now.

### WENTWORTH..

### The Hardware Man

Can show the largest variety of

### ...Coal Stoves

In the city at prices that can't be beat. Get our prices and see if we are not right.

**D. A. WENTWORTH**  
Pipestone Street.

## We Retail at Wholesale Prices...

This cold weather must make you think of heavy clothing, and where can you do better than to buy of the makers?

We make our clothing and we have our reputation as manufacturers to sustain as well as our local reputation.

We furnish hundreds of progressive merchants in Indiana, Ohio and Michigan with their full line of clothing. Let us sell to you at the same prices they pay.

We also have a full line of the latest creations in furnishing goods.

Best 25c Faced Gloves and Mittens on the Market.

**Excelsior Clothing Company**  
Retailers of Clothing at Wholesale Prices

### ST. JOSEPH.

## THE LIGHT IS MOVED.

The Big Beacon Light Moved Out to the End of the North Pier.

### WILL BE A GREAT BENEFIT.

Seamen so Regard the Change-- It Was a Big Job.

A notice to mariners, issued by the light house board two weeks ago, called for the discontinuance of the little range light at the mouth of St. Joseph harbor and the removal of the main beacon light about 200 feet nearer the outer end of the north pier. These changes were proclaimed to occur on or about Nov. 10 (today). The conduit leading to the range light itself was discontinued yesterday and the big light house was moved out to the end of the pier.

Engineer Wege and his force of assistance did a neat job on the moving of the massive light house. It is a big cumbersome affair built with a tendency to stand any kind of weather for any number of years. It was released from its anchorage, raised by means of jack screws to the top of the pier to its new location, 200 feet nearer the outer end of the pier. It was a job which required fine engineering skill to move the massive structure. It was done yesterday and the light is now firmly anchored at the end of the pier.

Seamen and others acquainted with the previous condition of the lights, say that the change is a very beneficial one.

They claim the little light which gave the range of the pier could not be seen until the approaching ship was right on top of it.

The big light now gives the exact location of the end of the pier and may be seen many miles so that the sailor runs no risk of missing the end of the pier. His chart will give him the range of the pier.

The change is made to make room for the new fog signal the work upon the erection which will begin at once.

### DEATH OF A PIONEER.

Horatio H. Loomis Expired This Morning.

Horatio Harlin Loomis of Edwardsburg, Mich., died at the home of his son, Supt. Loomis, in this city this morning. He was born at Manlius, N. Y., in 1820. Having learned the milling business of his father who operated flouring mills at Shortsville on the Canadagua outlet he came to Michigan in 1844 to take charge of what are now known as the Redfield mills in Cass county. Although without means he soon acquired, by diligence and industry, a good farm near Edwardsburg where he built him a fine home and where he resided continuously nearly 50 years.

Few men were more widely known in his section of the state and none more highly respected. He leaves two sons, Supt. Loomis of this city and Frank H. Loomis, traveling salesman for the Franklin School Supply company of Chicago. The funeral services will be held in the Methodist church at Edwardsburg of which he had long been a member, next Wednesday afternoon. The remains will be taken over the Vandals at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL ELECTION.

Officers Who Will Run the M. E. Sunday School This Year.

The Methodist Sunday School board, the officers and the teachers, met Saturday night at the home of Mrs. S. T. Cooper and after the usual lesson study proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year.

A. B. Morse, who has served faithfully as superintendent for two years, was again re-elected to the great satisfaction of every one concerned. Other officers were elected as follows:

First assistant superintendent, Mrs. W. T. Bradford; second assistant superintendent, W. B. Church; secretary, Dr. E. I. Backus; assistant secretary, Willis Stephens; treasurer, Benjamin Rhines; librarian, Elva Wheeler; organist, Miss Anna Cooper; chorister, Benjamin Rhines.

### A SYMPOSIUM.

Will Be Enjoyed by Commercial Club Members.

The Commercial club will enjoy a symposium at the club rooms Wednesday evening. The ladies of the members of the club will all be present and a delightful time is anticipated. The committee, A. L. Church, E. N. Hatch and W. F. Seaver, have made great arrangements for the event which will be one of the most enjoyable in the history of the club. A program comprising the work of some of the finest musical and literary artists in the city has been arranged. The opening overture by the orchestra will occur at 8 o'clock sharp.

Probate Court.

Estate of Mary J. Fisher, deceased, T. L. Wilkinson, administrator of said estate, filed his petition for license to sell the real estate of said deceased at public sale and distribute the proceeds among the heirs at law of said deceased. Hearing December 14 at 10 a. m.

Pro Patria, a 10c cigar for 5c; none genuine unless stamped Pro Patria. A cool, sweet and lasting smoke. Geo. Meeks & Co., manufacturers, Detroit.

### FORESAW HIS OWN DEATH.

Premonition of George P. Calou of New Buffalo Is Verified.

George P. Calou, aged 63, living near New Buffalo, was found dead in bed yesterday. Calou had a strange premonition of death that was strangely verified.

Two days ago he stated to his family that he would not be alive on the morning of November 13. They believed that he was the victim of a hallucination that would pass away, and gave no heed to his repeated declarations that his life was nearing an end.

Calou arranged his business affairs, executed his will, and Thursday night before retiring kissed his wife and children for what in the morning proved to be his last farewell.

Mixed quartette, Miss Dobberthien, Mrs. Townsend, Messrs. Rhines and Ferguson; Life of the poets, Miss Wheeler; recitation, Inez Clark; duet, Mrs. Reynolds and Miss Williams; reading, Miss Alley; solo, Mr. Kellogg; reading, Miss White; ladies' trio, Misses Dunbar, Mathews and Arndt; recitation, Genevieve White; duet, Florence Brown and Orson Combs; spoken round; solo, W. B. Church; reading, Miss Merrill; quartette, Miss Dobberthien, Mrs. Townsend, Messrs. Rhines and Ferguson.

Admission 10 cents.

### LUCKY REDSKINS.

Pokagon's Tribe Gets an Installment from Uncle Sam.

DOWAGAC, Nov. 10.—The streets have been thronged several days with dusky members of Simon Pokagon's Indian tribe, awaiting the distribution of the claim money allowed by Uncle Sam. Special Agent Shelly Saturday distributed the first installment of \$25,000. Some of the redskins have invested in firewater, but most of them have spent their money well. Some intend to purchase farms. The next installment will be paid in about two weeks.

Child Left on the Door Step.

VICKSBURG, Nov. 16.—At 2 o'clock in the morning L. E. Salisbury, a hardware merchant of Fulton, nine miles east of this place, was called to his door by a violent pounding, but the caller would not answer when asked what was wanted. As Mr. Salisbury reached the door, the stranger jumped into a buggy, whirled up his horses and drove rapidly north. He left a package on the doorstep containing a girl baby between 8 and 10 months old, well dressed, and bearing a card which said: "Take me, keep me, care for me well, and maybe I will leave you as mysteriously as I came." It looks as if the child had been brought from a distance. Mr. Salisbury has a boy 5 years old, and has not yet decided what to do with his find.

Waved His Shirt.

ALDEN, Nov. 16.—In accordance with an election bet, James Knight took off his shirt on the public street, in the presence of 300 spectators and waved it in the air, shouting for McKinley.

At Victim's Convict.

JACKSON, Nov. 16—Convict William Maloney, who was one of the rioters who assaulted and nearly killed Deputy Warden Northrup last year, again distinguished himself Friday by stabbing Keeper William H. Huff in the right eye with a broom handle.

Skating Rink at Niles.

Niles Daily Star.

Niles is to have an ice skating rink the coming winter. In the Platt lot on North Front street W. M. Sixby has built a small shanty, rounded out by a comfortable basin, and when the first severe cold weather makes its appearance it will flood the basin and allow it to freeze. The rink will be plenty large enough to allow a large crowd to enjoy themselves at one time, and as the admission to skate will be nominal, the venture may prove profitable to Mr. Sixby.

Real Estate Transfers.

GREENVILLE, Nov. 16.—T. P. Finley to Edward P. Finley, lots 1, 4, 5 and 8, block 7 and 5 and fractional 4 in block 14, Johnson's add. Niles, \$1.

Edward P. Finley to Greenville P. Finley lots 1, 8, 9 and 16 in block 1, and lots 1 and 8 in block 14, Johnson's add. Niles, \$1.

Ellen L. Eldred to Ephraim T. Mills, property in Benton Harbor, \$800.

Samuel McGingan to Harriet C. Tooley, property in lots 103 and 131 in Waterleit, \$1.

Cassius P. Williams to Nellie M. De Fields, 20 acres in section 8, town 3, \$1,000.

Reuben T. Parker to John Rutz, n  $\frac{1}{2}$  of s  $\frac{1}{2}$  of w  $\frac{1}{2}$  of sec 26, town 5, \$1,000.

John Rutz to Henry Rutz, n  $\frac{1}{2}$  of s  $\frac{1}{2}$  of w  $\frac{1}{2}$  of sec 26, town 5, \$1,000.

Elmer E. House to Ida M. Talmage, part of lot 1, block 2, Morton & Stevens' add. Benton Harbor, \$1,150.

Fidelia Bennett to A. J. Enders, property in Waterleit township, \$300.

Appeal Papers Filed.

The justice's return on appeal have been filed in the circuit court in the case of Jacob Aumack against John Gottwald.

Marriage Licenses.

Fred Price, 19, Pipestone; Miss Anna Prinley, 18, same.

William E. Versaw, 24, Solon; Jennie Buckman, 22, same.

Changes Come to All.

We shall give our customers the profits at our closing out sale. It will pay you to see us for anything in our line.

THE ECONOMY CO.

Homeseekers' Excursion.

The C. C. C. & St. L. Ry. (Big Four route) are still selling homeseekers' excursion tickets to southern, western and northwestern points, at greatly reduced rates for the round trip. These tickets are to be sold Nov. 17, Dec. 1 and 15, Jan. 5 and 19, Feb. 2 and 16, March 2 and 16, and April 6 and 20, good to return twenty-one days. For full particulars write or call on

L. G. SMITH, Agent.

Ho. Florida.

The C. C. C. & St. L. Ry. (Big Four route) have their tourist tickets on sale now good to return until April 30. We will be glad to explain fully our rates, connections and time; and remember that we are the only direct line from this part of the country for Florida.

L. G. SMITH.

### WITH THE POETS.

An Evening Will Be Spent at the Methodist Church.

An evening with the poets, Carlton and Riley, has been arranged by the Epworth League, of the Methodist society, and will be enjoyed at the Methodist church next Wednesday evening, November 18. The program follows:

Mixed quartette, Miss Dobberthien, Mrs. Townsend, Messrs. Rhines and Ferguson; Life of the poets, Miss Wheeler; recitation, Inez Clark; duet, Mrs. Reynolds and Miss Williams; reading, Miss Alley; solo, Mr. Kellogg; reading, Miss White; ladies' trio, Misses Dunbar, Mathews and Arndt; recitation, Genevieve White; duet, Florence Brown and Orson Combs; spoken round; solo, W. B. Church; reading, Miss Merrill; quartette, Miss Dobberthien, Mrs. Townsend, Messrs. Rhines and Ferguson.

Admission 10 cents.

PROGRAM.



# THE EVENING NEWS.

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BENTON HARBOR, MICH., MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1896.

ONE CENT.

A large bankrupt stock of SHOT GUNS and RIFLES of all kinds for sale at

## Jackson's Toy Store

Water street, Benton Harbor, Mich. Remember that I keep all kinds of hunting, fishing and sporting goods on hand and I will not be undersold by any dealer in Southwestern Mich. Winchester Repeating Rifles all sizes at \$10, \$11 and \$14 each. See the old and new models Quinquebush 22's and other Target Guns. One Coats Repeating Rifle second-hand at \$7, one Winchester Single Shot Rifle, second-hand, at \$6, Spence Repeating Shot Gun, 8 shot at \$7, and I have Double Barrel Breech Loading Shot Guns both 10 and 12 gauge at \$7, \$9, \$11 and \$12 each. Slugs, Barrel Breech Loaders, both new and second-hand, at \$5, \$6 and \$7 each, Muzzle Loading Shot Gun at the lowest prices, one Winchester Repeating Shot Gun second-hand at \$10. Loaded Paper Shells 10, 12 and 16 gauge, a loader at 25 cents per box; base that in your hat. A full and complete line of Winchester rifle cartridges at winning prices; 20 different sizes of revolver cartridges; B. B. Roberts' and Blanks, Lulin & Gund's shot gun, rifle and blasting powder; smokeless powder for shot guns and rifles, brass shells, loaded and unloaded, buck, conical shot and bar lead; reloading tools for rifles and shot guns; shot gun fixtures; cartridge belts and shell bags; hunting coats, vests and hats; canvas game bags and belts for hunters; powder flasks and shot pouches; primers; snipe, turkey and duck calls; shot gun shells loaded with smokeless powder; bowie knives and knives for hunters; pasteboard and felt wads; water proof and G.D. gun cases; all kinds of new and second-hand revolver and breech loaders; 32 center fire at \$1.50; 38 center fire at \$1.75. These guns are of the best dog pattern, and they are all right and I am selling today the 32 and 38 center fire both blue and nickel 5 and 6 shot number handle rifle barrel, fluted cylinder, break down shell ejector, 44 inch barrel Smith and Wesson pattern for \$1, and how is that for a leather on guns? Holders for revolvers and cases for guns and rifles, dark lanterns for coon hunters and the Morehouse traps for trappers, and compasses, boxing gloves, iron dumbbells. Foot balls all kinds and sizes, sling shots, billys and knuckles, dog chains, collars and muzzle.

After Nov 1st I will pay the best market price for all kinds of raw furs and remember that I loan money on all kinds of personal property and that I have

## A large grain sack full of unredeemed WATCHES of all kinds.

62 solid gold rings, Banjos, guitars and violins at one-third first cost. Trading men look over my watch stock I can always stock you up on bargains. I have deals in fishing, hunting and sporting goods for 19 years in Benton Harbor. I buy cheaper than any other dealer and I will not be undersold.

## CHARLES A. JACKSON

Dealer in Almost Everything....



## Looking in the Glass

Not for mere vanity's sake, but to beautify her complexion. All ladies, old and young, feel secret gratification when they know that all defections of the skin are unseen. We sell the finest line of face powder, which will pay the ladies to examine.

We have in stock \$200 worth of fine Writing Paper and Envelopes, in boxes. Also a fine line of Pipes and Smokers' articles. We are selling the above goods at cost. Step in and examine my stock, it will pay you.

## DR. J. J. FABRY

...German Physician and Surgeon  
Office and Residence:  
110 Water Street, Benton Harbor.

## Repair

## Shop

BICYCLES  
GUNS  
Sewing Machines  
LOCKS...

Or in fact anything out of repair can be fixed by

## M. J. HENDERSON.

177 West Main St.

Ten years' experience.

*Elkhorndale, Mich.*  
EYE, EAR,  
NOSE AND THROAT.  
GLASSES FITTED

If you wish glasses fitted accurately, patronize a physician and not a optician.

It is the cheapest place in either town for tin ware.

Because we have an overreaching templa-

## DEDICATION SERMON.

Preached Last Evening for the New  
Y. M. C. A. Rooms by the  
Rev. Mr. McRoberts.

## THE WORK FOR YOUNG MEN.

Frank Welton Raised \$250 Toward  
the Support of the Association  
the Coming Year.

As a house of worship is usually dedicated so were the new rooms of the Young Men's Christian association dedicated at the union meeting at the First M. E. church last evening. The sermon, an excellent and appropriate one, was delivered by Rev. Thomas R. McRoberts of St. Joseph. Dr. F. A. Votey, the general secretary of the association, gave a report which showed what the association had done and what it proposed to do with the help of its new rooms and its new equipment. The dedication closed as all dedications do with a subscription, and this important work was intrusted to Frank Welton, who has no superior in that line of work. Mr. Welton is versatile and allowed no lag in the interest of giving even when there was a lag in the giving of subscriptions. He made a fine opening address and he painted a home scene at the coming Thanksgiving time, when after eating turkey and all the other good things the shadows of sleep should surround the good man of the house as he lay down on his couch to rest and there came a vision to him and a voice asked, "Where is thy brother?" The sleeping man replied, "Am I my brother's keeper?" The voice of the vision continued, "The voice of the young men who have no comforts and no Thanksgiving are crying to me now from the streets?" Such a vision could be spared if the man had an interest in the Young Men's Christian association. Pastor French raised over \$200 at the Methodist church in the morning and at the evening service Mr. Welton received \$250.

Dr. F. A. Votey, the general secretary, before making his report, apologized for the delay which compelled the postponement of the formal opening of the new rooms which was advertised to occur this evening. The doctor expected that the opening would occur "next week," the same time he had counted upon for a month back. He expected that the whole building at that time would be thrown open for the inspection of the public.

"It is not my association," said the secretary, "but it is yours. Two years ago we started as an infant organization. The officers are not paid and all give their time gratuitously with the exception of the assistant secretary who draws a small salary. During the past year our reading room has been visited by an average of 75 daily, and this department affords the best way for reaching young men. On our table is all the leading wholesome literature and the daily and weekly papers. We have a library of 150 volumes and hope some day that this will prove the nucleus for a respectable library. It is a shame that in a city of 7,000 people that the only library open to the public is one containing 150 volumes. We have a parlor and reception room where young men may bring their friends. We have a game room where innocent games are played. There is no game put upon our table but what is perfectly safe for your boy or any boy. There has been circulated a report to the contrary for which I am sorry. If you hear such a report please do not tell your neighbor about it but come to the rooms and investigate for yourself."

The gymnasium and bath rooms were described, the latter being called as fine as any to be found in the cities. Evening classes are contemplated for members only and there will be established a seminary where the leading topics of the day will be discussed. Last year the association was the instrument of twenty conversions and he believed that this part of the work could be increased.

The Woman's auxiliary came in for a good share of credit for the work done and the secretary thought that the present membership of 100 was too small. Every woman who had a brother, son or father in the association is turning the new rooms.

not to put our trust in the infallibility of organization, and to believe implicitly in the omnipotence of machine work when the power of the world is not the machine or the method, but the men. He said that since the world began men were saved by faith, that was a method, but when the little monk came out of his cell of the monastery at Erfurt and took that phrase as a fulcrum, it aroused the world. It was the truth in the hands of a man that could use the truth. And from the beginning it was written in our constitution that all men were created free and equal but with Phillips and Garrison to put their hands upon the phrase, that phrase became a living thing. So you can have an abundance in your association books and physical apparatus but they will not do the work. They must be in the hands of men. Personal work is the power of redemptive work.

I would mean by men, men of magnificent faith, not so much in themselves, as faith in God's omnipotence; optimistic men who believe that God is not in a lost cause, but believe God is bringing our world into clearer light, on nobler standards, into a sweeter life; optimistic men who believe this, and take part in bringing it to pass; men that believe that Prometheus who is still bound in chains to the rocks shall be freed, and it's for you young men to bring the deliverance to the chains. It's yours to believe that the Lucifer still withing in the pangs of a thousand injustices and sins shall yet have the door of hope opened to him, and it's for you to point to the open door. It's yours to believe that the mark of the curse shall yet be effaced, and it's yours to point to the Redeemer of bodies and minds and spirits. It's yours to believe that Atlas still bearing a world of consciousness of error and sin shall yet open his heart to the presence of God who shall believe him of his load, and it's yours to point to God. It's yours to believe that the golden age is not a past age but is the glory of a coming age when righteousness and mercy shall reign supreme. It's yours to believe these things, and your belief will be the strength by which you shall have a part in hastening on that day.

The theory of Mr. Baxter was that King stepped off the south track to escape the car coming from St. Joseph to get killed by the car coming from Benton Harbor.

Dr. John Bell was the next witness sworn. He was asked if he made an examination of King's body and replied, "I did, to the best of my ability, that is, I made a thorough examination of his head as I did not think it was necessary to examine the rest of his body as he was in the coffin. Undoubtedly the cause of his death was a severe twisting of his neck or twisting his head in such a manner as to cause a fracture at the base of the brain. There was no depression of skull, I believe he was instantly killed. There was a severe cut, perhaps four inches in length running from the center of his forehead and several bristles."

The doctor was asked if he made any examination of King in the car the night the accident happened. He said, "Yes, I took hold of one of his legs, I don't remember which one, and there seemed to be a fracture of the knee. I don't think either of his arms were fractured."

Cus Ingleson was the next witness called and testified as follows: "I was coming home from town. I live on West Main street this side of Heath's ship yard and had stepped off the track to let the car pass. When I stepped on my doorstep I heard a fearful clang of the street car bell perhaps 12 or 15 strokes. I didn't think anything very unusual had happened, in fact, I told my wife that I supposed they had killed someone's cat. When the car bell rang so violently fire streamed from all sides of the car." Mr. Ingleson, when asked how fast the car was going said he supposed about fourteen miles an hour as near as he could judge.

Motorman Lopker was called and stated that there were three cars running the night the accident happened. He said he thought the car that was coming from St. Joseph the time the accident happened was between the viaduct and bridge and that he reversed the car before he struck the judge.

Dennis Lynch of Benton Harbor testified that he was in the car coming from St. Joseph and when between the bridge and viaduct the lights went out and it was perhaps two minutes before they were again turned on.

Mr. Baxter was again recalled and stated again the position of the cars when he saw them.

The finest line of crockery and fine china is to be found at Sherman's bazaar, Pipestone street.

The City Steam Laundry does more work than all other laundries in Berrien county combined. It is fine work that has built up the trade.

Housekeepers' Events on.

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## PROGRESS OF INQUEST

Frank Baxter Gives a Different Version of the Street Car Killing.

## PROOF THAT KING IS DEAD.

The Jury in No Hurry to Render a Verdict in This Important Case.

At 4:15 this afternoon the jury had reached no verdict.

The coroner's jury wrestled at the city hall again this afternoon to discover how Michael King who was killed by a street car Friday came to his death. Frank Baxter advanced a theory, and a good theory seemingly, something which none of the witnesses at Saturday's session of the inquest did.

Frank Baxter, the man who lives in Almendinger's building near where the accident occurred, testified: "I know very little about the accident. At 9:30 or a little later I stepped out to the door and looked around about the mill and I saw a man approaching from Benton Harbor walking on the south track. Went in the house, had my shoes off and started to pull off my clothes when I heard three taps of the car bell and a rumbling noise and a sound as if some object was struck. Ran out and saw a man lying on the ground, his feet touching from the outside north rail. I helped put the man on the car. Saw a pool of blood next morning 200 or 225 feet from where I saw the man walking.

The coroner's jury believed that King stepped off the south track to escape the car coming from St. Joseph to get killed by the car coming from Benton Harbor.

Dr. John Bell was the next witness sworn. He was asked if he made an examination of King's body and replied, "I did, to the best of my ability, that is, I made a thorough examination of his head as I did not think it was necessary to examine the rest of his body as he was in the coffin. Undoubtedly the cause of his death was a severe twisting of his neck or twisting his head in such a manner as to cause a fracture at the base of the brain. There was no depression of skull, I believe he was instantly killed. There was a severe cut, perhaps four inches in length running from the center of his forehead and several bristles."

The doctor was asked if he made any examination of King in the car the night the accident happened. He said, "Yes, I took hold of one of his legs, I don't remember which one, and there seemed to be a fracture of the knee. I don't think either of his arms were fractured."

She and a friend were rowing one afternoon on the river, and either through their lack of seamanship or because of the strong current the boat was overturned. The professor, who was fishing from the bank, cast his line and swam to the rescue. He saved his destined ally and let another man save her companion. Dating from such an auspicious meeting friendship early ripened into love. For several months the young woman has lived in Chicago, making easy the progress of the tendon.

The incident that led to the marriage was romantic in the extreme. Professor Linchberger, who is an ardent sportsman, spent a portion of his summer vacation in whipping Michigan trout streams. At a summer resort not far from Benton Harbor he met the young woman who has now become his wife. As an incident to the meeting he saved her life.

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Professor Linchberger is considered one of the brilliant young instructors of Chicago. He graduated from Northwestern University in 1888 and studied five years at Heidelberg and Strasburg, Germany and at Paris. He is 29 years old. His wife is two years his junior and is a belle of striking beauty.

ARE HUSTLING.

The Order of Patricians Are Organizing Five Courts.

This new order organized its first court October 7, 1896. It now has a membership of seven-hundred with an insurance of \$80,000 in Benton Court No. 1 and rapidly growing. One thousand and is the mark for January 1, 1897.

Tuesday night Court No. 2 at Coloma will be organized with 60 members. Wednesday night Court No. 3 will be organized at Watervliet with about 60 members. George H. Marotch Jr. is organizing a court at Eau Claire, W. R. Kennedy and Lowell N. Kennedy are organizing a court at Buchanan, Nelson G. Kennedy, Frank L. Hammond, Maylow D. Osgood and John C. Trimble start for Niles today to organize a court. R. L. Jarvis and F. M. Van Horne go to Hartland today to organize a court.

The unprecedented success of the Order of Patricians is the push and energy of its promoters, allowing the mothers, wives, daughters and sweethearts belonging to and associating with fathers, brothers, sons and lovers the equitable and attractive contract they write.

FAIR PLAIN.

FAIR PLAIN, Nov. 16.—There will be a meeting at the school hall for the purpose of reorganizing the literary society, Saturday evening, November 28, Hugh Honeywell, president.

Ed. Clyburn has accepted a position in a wheel factory in Chicago. He will move there and be ready to work the first of December.

Mrs. Kelly and family expect to start on their California trip next Tuesday. Mrs. Mcumber and her daughter Matie have returned from Chicago where they have been visiting for a month.

The St. Joseph Valley railroad company are making good progress grading along the borders of Mud lake.

Mrs. Nancy Clyburn has been on the sick list for several weeks. She is somewhat improved lately.

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## THE LIGHT IS MOVED,

The Big Beacon Light Moved Out to the End of the North Pier.

## WILL BE A GREAT BENEFIT.

Seamen so Regard the Change-- It was a Big Job.

A notice to mariners, issued by the light house board two weeks ago, called for the discontinuance of the little range light at the mouth of St. Joseph harbor and the removal of the main beacon light about 290 feet nearer the outer end of the north pier. These changes were proclaimed to occur on or about Nov. 16 (today.) The conduit leading to the range light itself was discontinued yesterday and the big light house was moved out to the end of the pier.

Engineer Wragg and his force of assistance did a new job on the moving of the massive light house. It is a big cumbersome affair built with a tendency to stand any kind of weather for any number of years. It was released from its anchorage, raised by means of jack screws to the top of the pier to its new location, 290 feet nearer the outer end of the pier. It was a job which required fine engineering skill to move the massive structure. It was done yesterday and the light is now firmly anchored at the end of the pier.

Seamen and others acquainted with the previous condition of the lights, say that the change is a very beneficial one. They claim the little light which gave the range of the pier could not be seen until the approaching ship was right on top of it. The big light now gives the exact location of the end of the pier and may be seen many miles so that the sailor runs no risk of missing the end of the pier. His chart will give him the range of the pier.

The change is made to make room for the new fog signal the work upon the erection which will begin at once.

## DEATH OF A PIONEER.

Horatio H. Loomis Expired This Morning.

Horatio Harlin Loomis of Edwardsburg, Mich., died at the home of his son, Supl. Loomis, in this city this morning. He was born at Marlins, N. Y., in 1826. Having learned the milling business of his father, who operated flouring mills at Shortsville on the Canadadig on the 1844 to take charge of what are now known as the Redfield mills in Cass county. Although without means he soon acquired, by diligence and industry, a good farm near Edwardsburg where he built him a fine home and where he resided continuously nearly 50 years.

Few men were more widely known in his section of the state and none more highly respected. He leaves two sons, Supl. Loomis of this city and Frank H. Loomis, traveling salesman for the Franklin School Supply company of Chicago. The funeral services will be held in the Methodist church at Edwardsburg of which he had long been a member, next Wednesday afternoon. The remains will be taken over the Vandalia at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL ELECTION.

Officers Who Will Run the M. E. Sunday School This Year.

The Methodist Sunday School board, the officers and the teacher, met Saturday night at the home of Mrs. S. T. Cooper and after the usual lesson study proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year.

A. B. Morse, who has served faithfully as superintendent for two years, was again re-elected to the great satisfaction of every one concerned. Other officers were elected as follows:

First assistant superintendent, Mrs. W. T. Bradford; second assistant superintendent, W. B. Church; secretary, Dr. E. I. Backus; assistant secretary, Willis Stephens; treasurer, Benjamin Rimes; librarian, Elva Wheeler; organist, Miss Anna Cooper; chorister, Benjamin Rimes.

## A SYMPOSIUM.

Will Be Enjoyed by Commercial Club Members.

The Commercial club will enjoy a symposium at the club rooms Wednesday evening. The ladies of the members of the club will be present and a delightful time is anticipated. The committee, A. L. Church, E. N. Hatch and W. F. Sessor, have made great arrangements for the event which will be one of the most enjoyable in the history of the club. A program comprising the work of some of the finest musical and literary artists in the city has been arranged. The opening meeting of the orchestra will occur at 8 o'clock sharp.

**Probate Court.**  
Estate of Mary J. Fisher, deceased, T. L. Wilkinson, administrator of said estate, filed his petition for license to sell the real estate of said deceased at public sale and distribute the proceeds among the heirs at law of said deceased. Hearing December 14 at 10 a.m.

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### FORESAW HIS OWN DEATH.

Premonition of George P. Callow of New Buffalo Is Verified.

George P. Callow, aged 68, living near New Buffalo, was found dead in bed yesterday. Callow had a strange premonition of death that was strangely verified.

Ten days ago he stated to his family that he would not be alive on the morning of November 13. They believed that he was the victim of a hallucination that would pass away, and gave no heed to his repeated declarations that his life was nearing an end.

Callow arranged his business affairs, executed his will, and Thursday night before retiring kissed his wife and children for what in the morning proved to be his last farewell.

## LUCKY REDSKINS.

Pokagon's Tribe Gets an Installment from Uncle Sam.

DOWAGIAC, Nov. 16.—The streets have been thronged several days with dusky members of Simon Pokagon's Indian tribe, awaiting the distribution of the claim money allowed by Uncle Sam. Special Agent Shulby Saturday distributed the first installment of \$25,000. Some of the redskins have invested in firewater, but most of them have spent their money well. Some intend to purchase farms. The next installment will be paid in about two weeks.

## Child Left on the Door Step.

VIKSBURG, Nov. 16.—At 3 o'clock in the morning L. E. Salisbury, a hardware merchant of Fulton, nine miles east of this place, was called to his door by a violent pounding, but the caller would not answer when asked what was wanted. As Mr. Salisbury reached the door, the stranger jumped into a buggy, whipped up his horses and drove rapidly north. He left a package on the doorstep containing a girl baby between 8 and 10 months old, well dressed, and bearing a card which said: "Take me, keep me, care for me well, and maybe I will leave you as mysteriously as I came." It looks as if the child had been brought from a distance. Mr. Salisbury has a boy 5 years old, and has not yet decided what to do with his find.

## Waved His Shirt.

ALBION, Nov. 16.—In accordance with an election bid, James Knight took off his shirt on the public street, in the presence of 300 spectators and waved it in the air, shouting for McKinley.

## As Victims Convict.

JACKSON, Nov. 16.—Convict William Muloney, who was one of the rioters who assaulted and nearly killed Deputy Warden Northrup last year, again distinguished himself Friday by juggling Keeper William H. Huff in the right eye with a broom handle.

## Skating Rink at Niles.

Niles is to have an ice skating rink the coming winter. In the Pratt lot on North Front street W. M. Sixby has built a small rink, rounded out by a comfortable basin, and when the first severe cold weather makes its appearance he will flood the basin and allow it to freeze. The rink will be plenty large enough to allow a large crowd to enjoy themselves at one time, and as the admission to skate will be nominal, the venture may prove profitable to Mr. Sixby.

## Real Estate Transfers.

Greenville P. Finley to Edward P. Finley, lots 1, 4, 5 and 8, block 7 and 5 and fractional 4 in block 14, Johnson's add. Niles, \$1.

Edward P. Finley to Greenville P. Finley lots 1, 8, 9 and 10 in block 1, and lots 1 and 8 in block 14, Johnson's add. Niles, \$1.

Ellen L. Eldred to Ephraim T. Mills, property in Beaton Harbor, \$800.

Samuel McGingan to Harriet C. Tooler, parts of lots 180 and 181 in Watervile, \$1.

Cassius P. Williams to Nellie M. De Fields, 20 acres in section 8, town 3, \$1,000.

Reuben T. Parker to John Rutz, n  $\frac{1}{2}$  of s  $\frac{1}{2}$  of s  $\frac{1}{2}$  of sec 20, town 6, \$1,000.

John Rutz to Harry Rutz, n  $\frac{1}{2}$  of s  $\frac{1}{2}$  of s  $\frac{1}{2}$  of sec 20, town 6, \$1,000.

Elmer E. Rouse to Ed M. Talmage, part of lot 1, block E, Morton & Stevens' add. Benton Harbor, \$1,150.

Widalia Bennett to A. J. Enders, property in Watervile township, \$300.

## Apprentices Filed.

The justice's return on appeal have been filed in the circuit court in the case of Jacob Aumack against John Gottwald.

## Mariage Licenses.

Fred Price, 10, Pipestone; Miss Anna Pringle, 18, same.

William E. Versaw, 24, Sodus; Jennie Buckman, 22, same.

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### WITH THE POETS,

An Evening Will Be Spent at the Methodist Church.

An evening with the poets, Carroll and Riley, has been arranged by the Epworth League of the Methodist society, and will be enjoyed at the Methodist church next Wednesday evening, November 18. The program follows:

Mixed quartette, Miss Dolberthien, Mrs. Townsend, Misses Rimes and Ferguson; in the poem, Miss Wheeler; recitation, Ira Clark; duet, Mrs. Reynold and Miss Williams; reading, Miss Alley; solo, Mr. Kelley; reading, Miss White; ladies' trio, Misses Dunbar, Mathews and Arndt; recitation, Genevieve White; duet, Florence Brown and Orson Combs; spoken round; solo, W. B. Church; reading, Miss Merrill; quartette, Miss Dolberthien, Mrs. Townsend, Misses Rimes and Ferguson. Admission 10 cents.

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HIGHEST OF ALL IN LEAVENING STRENGTH.—LATEST U. S. GOVT REPORT.

## FOOD FOR THE FIEND

NEW YORK'S "FIREPROOF" SKY-SCRAPERS INVITE A HOLOCAUST.

ONCE WELL STARTED A CONFLAGRATION MIGHT WIPE OUT THE BEST PART OF THE BUSINESS SECTION—TOO MUCH IRON, SAYS CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT BONNER.

NEW YORK'S BUSINESS SECTION—that part of the city that includes the newest of modern fireproof buildings—is in great danger of being wiped out by fire. Capitalists who furnish the money that pays for erecting these new buildings do not seem to realize this fact, although the veteran chief of the fire department reiterates this statement about once a year. Read what he says.

"THAT A BIG SECTION OF LOWER NEW YORK SOMEDAY WILL BE WIPE OUT BY FIRE IS PROBABLE IF EXISTING CONDITIONS CONTINUE," FIRE CHIEF BONNER SAID TO A PRESS REPORTER.

THESE CONDITIONS ARE THE HEIGHT OF THE BUILDINGS, THE MATERIAL USED IN THEIR CONSTRUCTION, THE NARROWNESS OF THE STREETS AND THE INADEQUACY OF THE WINTER SUPPLY.

IT IS A FAVORITE ARGUMENT THAT IF WORST COMES TO WORST, BUILDINGS AHEAD OF A BURNING AREA COULD BE BLOWN UP, AS THE FARMER TURNS A DEEP FURROW TO CHECK THE PRAIRIE FIRE. THIS THEORY IS NOT ADVANCED BY MORE THAN INTELLIGENT MEN, SAYS THE CHIEF.

"WE CAN FIGHT A FIRE 125 FEET HIGH, OR TEN STORIES. ABOVE THAT WE ARE WELL HELPLESS. THEY SAY THAT THE MODERN FIREPROOF BUILDING NEEDS NOT AS MUCH PROTECTION AS THE ORDINARY LOW STRUCTURE. BUT THE FIREPROOF BUILDING IS YET TO BE BUILT. THE COMMUNISTS COULD DESTROY PARIS IN 1871 EVEN BY THE USE OF BARRELS OF PETROLEUM. IN AMERICAN BUILDINGS ARE ALL THE NECESSITIES OF BIG, HOT FIRE, WITHOUT THE AID OF A DROP OF PETROLEUM. THE LARGE STRUCTURES IN FOREIGN CITIES ARE BUILT FAR MORE SOLIDLY THAN OURS. HAVING FEWER FLOORS AND LESS WOOD, EUROPEAN BUILDERS GET ALONG WITH LITTLE INSIDE TRIM OF WOOD. IRON AND STEEL IN THESE DAYS HAVE TAKEN THE PLACE IN THIS COUNTRY OF MASONRY. NOTHING WITH STANDS FIRER AS WELL AS A WELL CONSTRUCTED BRICK WALL. IRON COLUMNS ARE COVERED WITH FOUR INCHES OF TERRA COTTA OR BRICK, WHICH FIRE AND WATER CAN TEAR OFF IN A SHORT TIME. THEN THE STRIPPED IRON IS LIKELY TO Warp AND TWIST AND TUMBLE. I BELIEVE THE CURVING SHOULD BE EIGHT INCHES."

"WITH ONLY ONE NIGHT WATCHMAN IN A BUILDING, IN DANGER, LIKE ALL MORTALS, OF SUDDEN SICKNESS OR INCAPACITY, AND WITH NO NIGHT ELEVATOR, A FIRE COULD GET A GOOD HEADWAY IN THE UPPER FLOORS OF A 20 OR 30 STORY BUILDING. BURSTING OUT OF THE WINDOWS AND Fanned BY A STRONG WIND, THE FLAMES COULD EASILY LEAP THE NARROW STREETS OF LOWER NEW YORK AND A FIRE OF ENORMOUS EXTENT AND DAMAGE BEGIN."

"I HAVE ALWAYS OPPOSED PUTTING A BIG BUILDING IN CITY HALL PARK, BELIEVING THAT THE TIME MIGHT COME WHEN THAT AREA, USEFUL AS A BASE OF OPERATIONS, WOULD BE THE SAVANNAH OF THE CITY."

"MOST OF THE NEW SKYSCRAPERS HAVE FIRE FIGHTING APPLIANCES OF THEIR OWN OF MORE OR LESS VALUE. TANKS ON THE ROOF AND IN THE CELLAR ARE SUPPLIED AND KEPT FULL BY VARIOUS SYSTEMS, BUT THESE ARE AS MUCH FOR THE ORDINARY REQUIREMENTS OF TENANTS AS FOR POSSIBLE USE IN FIRE. SOME OF THE STRUCTURES HAVE STANDPIPES INSIDE OR OUTSIDE THE WALL. LEGALLY THERE IS NO WAY OF COMPELLING THE BUILDERS OF WHAT IS CALLED A 'FIREPROOF' BUILDING TO PUT IN MORE THAN THE MOST ORDINARY FIRE APPLIANCES, EVEN ABOVE THE 125 FOOT LINE."

"BUILDING A 30 STORY STRUCTURE IS MUCH LIKE BUILDING A DWELLING HOME IN ONE RESPECT—THEIR OWN VARIOUS DEVIATIONS FROM THE PLANS AND IMPROVEMENTS UPON THEM. FOR EVERY ALTERATION FROM THE DRAWINGS FILLED WITH THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT THE PERMISSION OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS MUST BE HAD. IF THE ALTERATIONS ARE PROPER, CONSENT IS GRANTED, BUT ON CONDITION THAT APPROVED FIRE APPLIANCES BE PUT IN THE BUILDING, PARTICULARLY IN THE UPPER STORIES. THESE INCLUDE A STIPULATION THAT AT LEAST ONE ELEVATOR SHALL BE READY TO RUN AT ANY TIME IN THE NIGHT IN ORDER THAT THE FIREMEN CAN GET UP AND DOWN QUICKLY; THE PUTTING OF HOSE AND FIRE BUCKETS ON EACH FLOOR, AND, USUALLY, A STANDPIPE, WITH COUPLINGS FOR EACH DOOR. WHEN THE BUILDERS CONSENT TO ADD THESE EQUIPMENTS AND OTHERS DEEMED NECESSARY, INCLUDING A COMPETENT NIGHT WATCH SERVICE, PERMISSION IS GRANTED TO MAKE THE ALTERATIONS. THIS APPLIES, OF COURSE, ONLY TO BUILDINGS UNDER CONSTRUCTION RECENTLY. OF THOSE ALREADY UP THERE IS SMALL HOPE UNLESS THE UNDERWITNESS' OFFER OF LOWER PREMIUMS APPEAL SUFFICIENTLY TO THE POCKETBOOK."

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